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VOLUNTEER AWARD TEA

On Thursday, April 25, 1974, the Hospital hosted the Annual Awards Ceremony Tea honoring the volunteers.

Mr. T. Gordon Young opened the program by welcoming the volunteers and thanking them for their valuable assistance to the Hospital. He then introduced the guest speaker, Mr. Herbert Kramer, Director of Prosthetics & Orthotics at Special Surgery.

Mrs. Walter J. Fried, a member of the Board of Managers, and Mrs. Willis R. Phillips, Chairman of the Volunteers, presented the awards.

During 1973, 176 volunteers gave over 21,400 hours of service to the hospital, with 77 volunteers (including 8 junior volunteers) eligible for awards from both the United Hospital Fund and Special Surgery. The Hospital for Special Surgery Honor Roll (volunteers who have served over 4,000 hours) are:

Mrs. Charles S. Bannerman	7,000
Mrs. Ivor Bevan	4,500
Mrs. Newcomb Cole	4,500
Mrs. O. Vaughn Dennis	6,500
Mrs. Robert Geller	8,500
Mrs. Saul Goldstein	4,500

Mrs. Andre Istel	17,000
Mrs. Benjamin Lorber	5,000
Mrs. Willis R. Phillips	6,000
Mrs. David Reuter	6,500
Mrs. John D. Sloane	7,000
Mrs. Armitage Watkins	5,500

A special award was presented for the first time this year, in memory of Mrs. Germaine B. Wilson, who, throughout her thirty-five years of service to Special Surgery as a volunteer, and, as a member of the Women's Auxilary, established the highest standards of volunteer service.

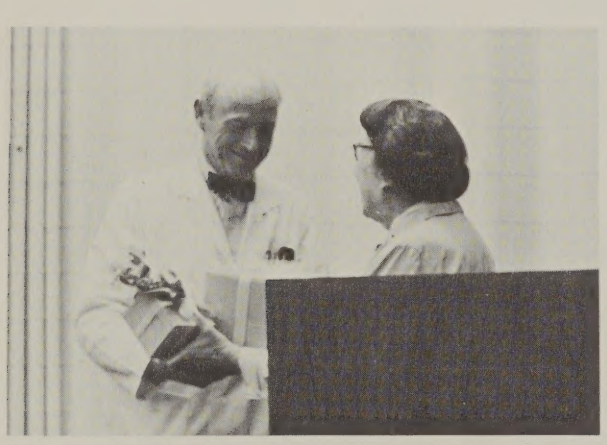
Dr. Philip D. Wilson, Jr., Surgeon-in-Chief of Special Surgery, presented the Award Scroll to Mrs. André Istel, who, as it's

first recipient, truly exemplifies the high standards of volunteer service symbolized by the award. The inscription on the scroll reads as follows:

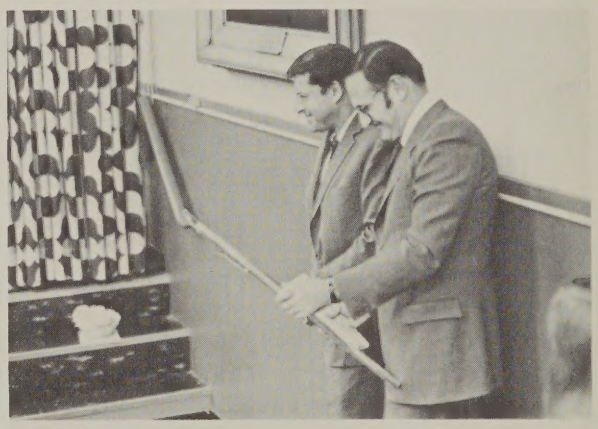
"The Germaine B. Wilson Award, presented each year to the volunteer who most exemplifies the high standards in volunteer service of Germaine B. Wilson."

After the presentation of the Awards, tea was served in the Cafeteria.

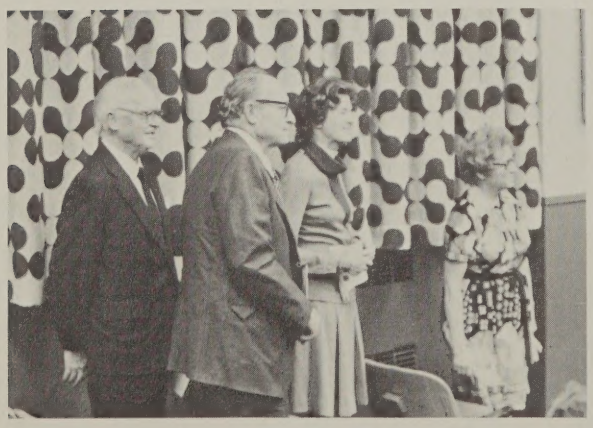
Mr. Herbert Kramer, Director of Prosthetics & Orthotics in the background - Dr. Philip Dr. Wilson, Jr., Surgeon-In-Chief, presenting the Germaine B. Wilson Award Scroll to Mrs. Andre Istel.



Dr. Philip D. Wilson, Jr., Surgeon-In-Chief & Mrs. André Istel



Mrs. Andre Istel's sons - Mr. Jacques-André Istel, and Mr. Yves-André Istel.



The Wilson Family

INSIDE TALK

Marriages: Congratulations to Mary Ann Menendez, Nursing, who recently wed Mr. Nick LoMuscio, and to Barbara Nedoszytko, formerly of Dietary, who is planning to wed on May 11th.

Births: Congratulations to Mr. & Mrs. Emilio Gonzales, Dietary, on the birth of their son, Emilio, on April 22nd. Congratulations to Dr. & Mrs. Harry Robinson, on the birth of their daughter, Katherine McCourt, on April 17th, and to Dr. & Mrs. William Davidson, on the birth of their son, Kurt, on April 26th.

Deaths: Our deepest sympathy to Alice Lee, Nursing, on the loss of her father.

Illnesses: Best wishes for a speedy recovery to Charlotte Geronimo, Margaret O'Dea, and Barbara Benjamin, Nursing. Mrs. Benjamin dislocated her hip at Mary Ann Menendez' wedding reception.

New Faces in Familiar Places:

Computer Services
Jane Teriba

Dietary
Ianthe Cadogan
Frances O'Hare
Debra Rothman

Radiology
Woodrow Moore

Receiving & Stores
Gordon Wright

Rehabilitation
Dorothy Mardenbro

Social Service
Betsy Wong

Welcome to the following graduates of our Practical Nursing School:

Marilyn Astin
Margaret Ballato
Loretta Bishop
Alice Giulintano
Barbara Hayes
Frances Mathews
Judith McDougall
Theresa Wright

Other News:
Welcome back to Anna Dimino, Nursing, who recently returned after being ill.

William Grannis, Jr., son of William Grannis, Accounting, will graduate from the New York Institute of Technology on June 9th. Congratulations and best of luck.

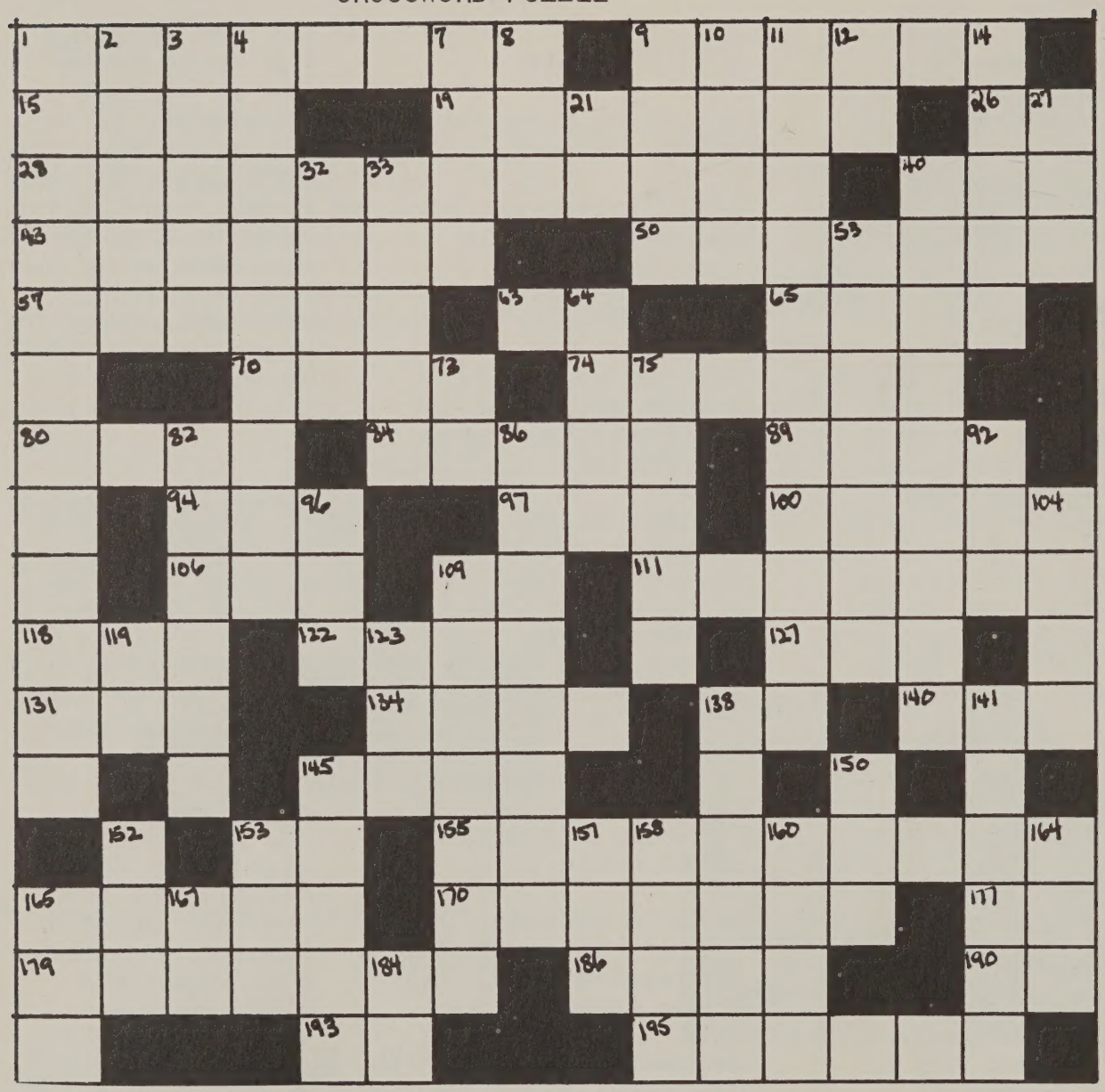
BASKETBALL
On April 26th, the HSS Basketball Team competed against our own Residents in a rematch. There were many exciting moments, many well executed plays, and it was fun for all who attended. The final score was 89 for the Residents, 71 for the HSS team. Although this game is the last one of it's kind for the season, we can look forward to more exhibition games between the Residents and the HSS team next year.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR
The Annual 15/25 Year Club Dinner on June 4th. By invitation only.

The Annual HSS Boat Ride on Saturday, June 15th. All welcome.

GREEN THUMB?
Don't forget to call Peggy Primis, Ext.117, if you are interested in joining the Window Sill Gardeners Club.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



ACROSS

1.Annual HSS event (2 words)
9.The 15/25 Year Club has one every year
15.Skin condition
19.Adj. used to describe the revolution of one body around another
26.You and me
28.Billie Jean used hers to defeat Bobby Riggs
40.African antelope
43.Oboe
50.Learned
57.A design set into a surface (adj)

Answers in back of issue

63.Pronoun
65.Adam gave one to Eve (pl.)
70.Russian emperor
74.Take in
80.Desert in Asia
84.Trap
89.Strip
94.Abbrev. for thoroughfare
97.Public lodging
100.Sharp tasting
106.Wager
109.Man's title
111.More spiteful
118.Wedding vow (2 words)
122.Upon

127.Our initials
131.Also
134.Airport
138.Preposition
140.Pronoun
145.Pilaster
153.Addendum to a letter
155.Those with high IQ's
165.This broke the camel's back
170.Afraid
177.Wire Service (Abbrev.)
179.Euphoric state
186.The early bird catches one
190.Egyptian sun god
193.13th letter of the Greek alphabet
195.To extract gas from another car (var.)

DOWN

1.Summer apparel
2.Body of water
3.Annihilate
4.Uncertain
7.Small boat
8.Period of time
9.Levee
10.Road
11.A system of treatment of disease emphasizing assistance to nature
12.Abbrev. for baseball assoc.
14.Small pigs
21.Abbrev.for British Columbia
27.Feminine nickname
32.Wading bird
33.Soft drinks
40.Meaningless talk
53.Leads
64.To merit
73.Nurse
75.Place to sit in the park
82.African ape
86.Mode of transportation
92.Prevaricate
96.7th letter of the Greek alphabet
104.Musical instrument
109.Embarrass
119.Musical note
123.Weight measurement
138.A bat hangout
141.Inward turn
145.Dam in Egypt
150.Snakelike fish
152.And so on
153.Feminine nickname
157.Kind of marble
158.mythological god of love
160.Like it or _____ it
164.Health resort
165.Understand
167.Abbrev.for recording secy
184.Abbrev.for local medical school

AWARD DINNER

The Basketball Trophy Presentation Award Dinner will be held on May 30th in the West Lounge of Sloane House. Trophies will be presented to all HSS employees who participated on the Basketball Team, and helped make this season an exciting one for all involved. Attendance is by invitation only.

ALUMNI NEWS

Dr. Lynn R. Callin, Clinical Associate Professor of Orthopedics at the University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry, was installed as president of the Medical Society of the State of New York on February 28th, at the 168th Annual Convention of the State Society.

Dr. Callin was on the Orthopedic Service at Special Surgery from September 1, 1942 to August 31, 1943.

BOOK NEWS

This month on the book shelf, be sure to read:

A Different Woman, by Jane Howard. This book examines the impact of the Sixties and the Feminist Movement on the life-styles of men and women across the country.

CONGRATULATIONS

On April 23, 1974, the Nursing Department sponsored graduation ceremonies and a tea in honor of sixteen graduates of our Nurse Technician and Surgical Technician programs.

Dr. Robert L. Patterson, Jr. was the guest speaker. Miss Dean Smith presented the graduates to Mr. T. Gordon Young, who gave them their diplomas.

The Surgical Technician Program was taught by Mrs. Alda Barrington, Nursing. The course is five weeks in length and the participants are taught various aspects of Operating Room Technique including care of the patient in surgery, anatomy, asepsis, scrub responsibilities, and care of instruments. Five former orderlies graduated from the program. They are:

Herman Ashe
Lou Bailey
Oscar Green
Musoline Matthews
Delroy McSam

The Nurse Technician Program consists of 60 hours of nursing theory in which Aides are taught anatomy, charting, blood pressures, observing the patient, sterile dressings and other procedures which greatly assist the professional staff on the patient units.

There were seven participants in the day program taught by Mrs. Marjorie LaBarbera, and four participants in the evening program taught by Mrs. Irmgard Kaim. Mrs. Noreen Ebert, Infection Control Supervisor, assisted in the course presentation.

The Nurse Technician graduates are:

Ms. Norma Barrett
Ms. Shirley Blake
Ms. Mary Rose Davis
Ms. Eunice Field
Ms. Hilda Hicks
Ms. Winifred Lewis
Ms. Josephine Rosado
Ms. Leslie Sanchez
Ms. Bertha Scrivens
Ms. Altiamae Showers
Ms. Cynthia Tucker

Both of these programs help to improve the level of patient care,as well as provide promotional opportunities for valued employees. The entire staff is proud of the graduates for a job well done.

SAFETY NEWS

Have you ever taken a good fall, picked yourself up and found that all you hurt was your pride? Well here are some helpful hints, about how to prevent those embarrasing, and more often than you think, dangerous moments.

1. Don't leave file cabinets open and unattended.

2. Don't climb up on anything if you feel dizzy.

3. Go slowly up stairs. Don't run.

4. Don't walk "blind" up stairways, carrying so many items that you can't see where you are going.

5. Wear proper shoes for work. Shoes that are well-fitting with non-skid soles.

6. If you should spill something in the hall or on one of the stairways of the Hospital, call Building Service immediately.

7. Don't carry dangerous chemicals through the Hospital, unless they are properly secured in a leak-proof container.

8. Always watch where you are going.

But, if after all this, you still fall, remember, there is a right way and a wrong way to fall.

The WRONG way is to follow your natural instinct as you fall. You tense up, resist, put out a hand, straight-arm, to take up the shock.

The RIGHT way is to fall the way athletes, acrobats and paratroopers have trained to fall. Don't resist. Instead, relax, go limp, try to roll as you land. Ease yourself down with bent arms.

By following the RIGHT way, you will be less likely to seriously injure yourself, than if all the muscles in your body are rigid.

So remember, if you must fall, do it the RIGHT way. RELAX - GO LIMP - ROLL - it could save your life.

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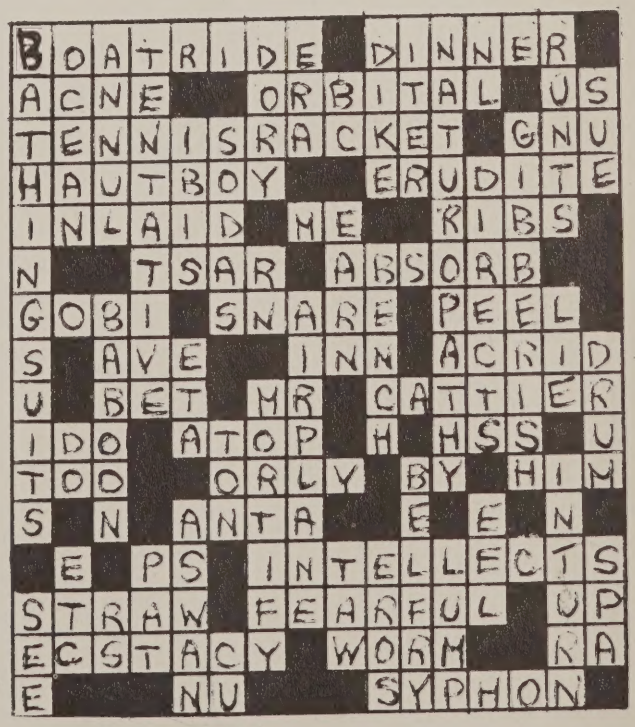
ANSWERS TO THE CROSSWORD PUZZLE



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